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#### ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1999

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand in adjournment until 1 p.m. on Thursday, February 4. I further ask consent that upon reconvening Thursday and immediately following the prayer, the Senate resume consideration of the articles of impeachment. I further ask that when the Senate recesses as a court and resumes legislative session, the Journal of the proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, and the time for the two leaders be reserved.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### PROGRAM

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, for the information of all Senators, tomorrow the Senate will resume consideration of the articles of impeachment. All Members are again reminded to please be in the Chamber a few minutes prior to 1 p.m. to receive the Chief Justice.

#### ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 1 P.M. TOMORROW

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 3:13 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, February 4, at 1 p.m.

#### NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Secretary of the Senate January 29, 1999, under authority of the order of the Senate of January 6, 1999:

##### DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

ROBERT WAYNE GEE, OF TEXAS, TO BE AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF ENERGY (FOSSIL ENERGY), VICE PATRICIA FRY GODLEY, RESIGNED.

Executive nominations received by the Senate February 3, 1999:

##### IN THE COAST GUARD

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD RESERVE TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 12203(A):

##### To be captain

GEORGE W. MOLESSA, JR., 0000

##### IN THE COAST GUARD

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD UNDER 14 U.S.C., SECTION 271:

##### To be commander

JAMES W. KELLY, 0000  
KURT W. NANCARROW, 0000  
DAVID D. SKEWES, 0000  
DAVID L. JONES, 0000  
WILLIE M. DUPRIEST, 0000  
CHAD T. JASPER, 0000  
MICHAEL F. RALL, 0000  
ERIC M. LINTON, 0000  
PETER S. MARSH, 0000  
MICHAEL F. FLANAGAN, 0000  
KARL R. BALDESSARI, 0000  
MATTHEW E. CUTTS, 0000  
WILLIAM H. TIMBS, 0000  
KIRK E. HILES, 0000  
THOMAS D. WADE, 0000  
GILBERT E. TEAL, 0000  
RICHARD H. SCHLATTER, 0000  
JAMES E. RENDON, 0000  
JOHN P. PHILBIN, 0000  
KARL H. CALVO, 0000  
TERRY D. GILBREATH, 0000  
JOANNE CAFFREY, 0000  
ROBERT M. DIEHL, 0000  
RODERICK L. SMITH, 0000  
LIAM J. SLEIN, 0000  
JOHN J. MACALUSO, 0000  
SCOTT F. LAROCHELLE, 0000  
MICHAEL A. TEKESKY, 0000  
THOMAS M. CULLEN, 0000  
GERARD R. DOSTIE, 0000  
JAMES A. SWEET, 0000  
NICHOLAS J. STAGLIANO, 0000  
DAVID J. SWATLAND, 0000  
BRIAN J. MARVIN, 0000  
SARAH J. SHORES, 0000  
JOSEPH C. SINNETT, 0000  
KENNETH D. NORRIS, 0000  
PAUL J. RODEN, 0000  
ERIC D. HULTMARK, 0000  
MARK L. PORVAZNIK, 0000  
MICHAEL F. LEONARD, 0000  
JAMES J. O'CONNOR, 0000  
JAMES B. KIDWELL, 0000  
JACQUELINE A. STAGLIANO, 0000  
BRYAN J. SEALE, 0000  
PETER J. ZOHORSKY, 0000  
PAUL F. GUINEE, 0000  
DOUGLAS J. SMITH, 0000  
ANTHONY J. PALAZZETTI, 0000  
THOMAS J. VITULLO, 0000  
EDWARD P. NAGLE, 0000  
SCOTT W. ROBERT, 0000  
CHARLES V. STRANGFELD, 0000  
STEVEN L. HUDSON, 0000  
ALAN M. MARSILIO, 0000  
JENNIFER E. LAY, 0000  
EDWARD F. SEEBALD, 0000  
ROBERT S. WALTERS, 0000  
JEFFREY S. LEE, 0000  
KINGSLEY J. KLOSSON, 0000  
LAWRENCE E. CORNWELL, 0000  
MARK J. FALLER, 0000  
KEITH P. STEINHOUSE, 0000